

Abstract of the Disclosure

In a light guide plate and a backlight assembly having the same, the light guide plate includes side surfaces having at least one incident surface into which light is incident, an exit surface on which a first prism pattern for condensing the light and a concavo-convex pattern for
5 diffusing the light are formed, and a reflect surface facing the exit surface and including a second prism pattern formed thereon. Accordingly, the backlight assembly may remove the diffusion and prism sheets therefrom and improve the light efficiency and brightness uniformity.